GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
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COMPANIES UNDER SAIL
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether companies under Steel Authority of India Limited are able to sell their total production at present;

(b) if so, the details thereof, company-wise;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the details of these companies earning profits, company-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) to (c): there are two Companies viz. Indian Iron & Steel Company Ltd. (IISCO) and Maharashtra Electrosmelt Limited (MEL) unde Steel Authority of India Limited. The details of Production & Sales of their main products during 2000-2001 (April-July, 2000) are as follows:

(i) Indian Iron & Steel Company Limited (IISCO)

000` tonnes

Product	Production	Sales
Saleable Steel	87.5	86.3
Pig Iron	85.4	79.4

(ii) Maharashtra Electrosmelt Limited (MEL)

Product	Production	Sales
High carbon Ferro Manganese	15374	18258
Silico Manganese	11684	12940

(d) The Profit & Loss (-) before tax of SAIL`s subsidiaries for the last three years is as under:

Rs. in Crores

	IISCO	MEL
1997-98	-395	1.64
1998-99	-357	-11.07
1999-2000	-210	-16.10